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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE ASKED FOR WRITTEN REQUEST FROM
EMBASSY BEFORE IT WOULD PROVIDE INFORMATION REQUESTED BY
REFTEL. WE RECEIVED REPLY OCTOBER 28 AS FOLLOWS:

"REQUIREDMENT FOR THE VET-CERTIFICATE:

IMPORTED ANIMALS, POULTRY, THEIR PRODUCTS AND BY-PRODUCTS,
MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A VET-CERTIFICATE TO BE DELIVERED
TO THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE VET-QUARANTINE AT THE ARRIVAL
OF THE CONSIGNMENT AND BEFORE ITS UNLOADING.
SUCH CERTIFICATE SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

1. THE CERTIFICATE MUST BE ISSUED BY AN OFFICIAL VET,
LOCALLY AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE SUCH CERTIFICATES AND IT SHOULD
BE STAMPED BY THE GOVERNMENT EXPORTING COUNTRY STAMP.

2. IT SHOULD BE MENTIONED IN THE CERTIFICATE THE NAME
OF THE SENDER, THE NAME OF THE RECEIVER, NUMBER OF
ANIMALS, KINDS, DESCRIPTION OF THE PRODUCTS, THE ORIGIN
OF THE PRODUCTS AND THE PORT OF SHIPMENT.

3. THE CERTIFICATE SHOULD INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING SANITARY
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INFORMATION ACCORDING TO THE ANIMAL SPECIES OR ITS

PRODUCTS:

CATTLE & BUFFALOES:

A. THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN MUST BE FREE FROM CATTLE
PLAGUE AND CONTAGIOUS BOVINE ULOUROPNEUMONIA.

B. THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN MUST BE FREE FROM F& M
DISEASE SIX (6) MONTHS PRIOR TO EXPORTATION.

C. THESE ANIMALS ARE TESTED WITHIN 15 DAYS PRIOR TO
EXPORTATION WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS FOR TB BY SINGLE
COMPARATIVE TEST, BRUCELLOSIS BY SERUM AGLUTINATION
TEST AND TRICHOMONIASIS, THE DATE, PLACE AND TECHNIQUE
SHOULD BE MENTIONED WITH FULL DESCRIPTION OF THE ANIMAL
TESTED.

D. THE ANIMAL IS SELECTED FROM A HERD FREE FROM THE
FOLLOWING DISEASES - TRICHOMONIASIS, WIBRIOSIS,
INFECTION VESICULAR VAGINITIS BY LAB TEST.

E. THE ANIMAL IS VACCINATED BY F& M DISEASE WITHIN
14-60 DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF EXPORTATION BY A.C. & C.
STRAINS.

F. THE ANIMAL IS FREE FROM SKIN DISEASES ESPECIALLY
WORTS, FOX, MANGO AND RING WORM.

G. THE ANIMAL IS FREE FROM FASCIOLIASIS BY FOECAL
EXAM AND THE EXAMINATION REVEALS NO FASCIOLA OVA ONE
MONTH PRIOR TO THE DATE OF EXPORTATION.

H. THE ANIMAL MUST BE FREE FROM JOHN'S DISEASE, Q FEVER
COCCIDIOSOS; HEART WATER, LEPTOSPIROSOS AND LOUKAEMIA.

THE AMIMAL POPULATION FROM WHICH THE ANIMAL HAS BEEN
CHOSEN IS FREE FROM THESE DISEASES DURING THE LAST 2
YEARS PRIOR TO EXPORTATION.

CATTLE, BUFFALOES, SHEEP AND GOATS:
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(IMPORTED FOR SLAUGHTER)

A. IT SHOULD BE FREE FROM FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE.

B. IT SHOULD BE ASCERTAINED THAT THESE ANIMALS ARE
IMMUNIZED AGAINST CATTLE PLAGUE, C.B.P.P., FOOT AND
MOUTH DISEASE AND

ANTHRAX BY VACCINES AND PRECAUTIONS
ACCEPTED BY THE VETERINARY SANITARY AUTHORITIES IN THE
REPUBLIC.

IMMUNIZATION SHOULD BE DONE IN NOT LESS THAN 21 DAYS
AND NOT MORE THAN THREE MONTHS PRIOR ITS ARRIVAL TO THE
ARRIVING PORT OR THE TOWN OF IMPORTATION IN CASE THE
EXPORTING COUNTRY IS INFECTED BY ANY OF THESE DISEASES."
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